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After months of bitter infighting, CIA Director Stansfield Turner is emerging as America's "intelligence czar" in all but name. A presidential order soon to be issued will give him unprecedented power over the entire U.S. intelligence community abroad, including most overseas activities of the FBI, Defense, State and Treasury Departments.

While the Justice Department is expected to indict no more than half a dozen members of Congress—past and present—on criminal charges in the Korean influence-buying scandals, dozens of lawmakers are likely to face disciplinary action ranging from censure to expulsion by Congress itself for accepting favors.